UNSTARRED QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Salaries of the university staff.

1. **Mr. A. N. Satyanesan**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the salaries of employees of the University had been increased along with the general enhancement of salaries in Government departments; and

(*b*) if the answer to (*a*) is in the negative, the reason for the omission?

Rajyasevapravina G. Parameswaran Pillai: (*a*) Yes.

The revised scales sanctioned by Government have been applied fully in the case of the non-gazetted staff of the University.

In the case of teachers and other gazetted officers the time-lag in their increments has been removed and biennial (or triennial) increments have been made annual.

The salary of each officer was fixed at the next higher stage in the sanctioned scale with effect from 1-6-1119; and those officers who were eligible for an increment in their former scales between 1st Makaram 1119 and 1st Makaram 1120 have been given increments in the new scale.

General revision of the scales of pay of the teachers and other similar employees of the University is now under consideration.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of the answer to (*a*) above.

Scholarship to College students.

2. **Mr. A. N. Satyanesan**: Will the Government be pleased to:

(*a*) state the number, respective amounts and duration of the scholarships granted to College students under the auspices of the University;

(*b*) lay on the table a list of the scholarships and scholarship holders in the last three years;

(*c*) state the principal factors that guide the grant of scholarships to students, and

(*d*) state how many Hindu Nadar lady students have been awarded scholarships in the last three years?

Rajyasevapravina G. Parameswaran Pillai: (*a*) A statement giving the details asked for is laid on the Secretary's table.

(*b*) The list required is laid on the Secretary's table.

(*c*) The awards are made on the basis of the rules framed for each scholarship.

(*d*) None.

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